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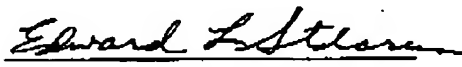
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated September 26, 2006 for one month to January 26, 2007.

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